



## LONG BEACH AIRPORT MONTHLY AIRPORT ACTIVITY REPORT

### December 2003 and Year End Results

#### Current Month and Y-T-D Statistics for Long Beach Airport

December 2003				January through December			
		2003	2002	%Change	2003	2002	%Change
<b><u>Total Passenger Traffic</u></b>		238,655	209,394	14.0%	2,875,703	1,453,511	97.8%
<b><u>Enplaned Passengers</u></b>	<b><u>Load Factor</u></b>						
America West Airlines	74%	6,381	6,798	-6.1%	81,448	102,507	-20.5%
American Airlines	76%	22,060	23,720	-7.0%	299,663	219,235	36.7%
Horizon/ Alaska	61%	5,308	4,236	25.3%	51,982	10,628	389.1%
JetBlue Airways	77%	84,635	69,023	22.6%	1,012,632	398,909	153.9%
Total (Dec)	74%	118,384	103,777	14.1%	1,445,725	731,279	97.7%
Total (Annual)	80%						
<b><u>Airline Landings</u></b>		1,094	996	9.8%	12,790	7,145	79.0%
<b><u>Aircraft Operations (FAA)</u></b>							
Air Carrier		2,388	2,160	10.6%	28,410	16,134	76.1%
Air Taxi		503	582	-13.6%	7,347	8,349	-12.0%
General Aviation		22,196	23,473	-5.4%	302,075	325,313	-7.1%
Military		56	43	30.2%	975	807	20.8%
Total		25,143	26,258	-4.2%	338,807	350,603	-3.4%
<b><u>Air Cargo</u></b>							
US Tons		4,161.0	4,232.6	-1.7%	55,849.7	58,594.5	-4.7%
Metric Tons		3,774.0	3,839.0	-1.7%	50,655.7	53,145.3	-4.7%

#### Notes:

- Horizon initiated service on 10/6/02 with 3 daily flights, and discontinued service on 12/14/03
- Alaska Airlines began service on 12/15/03 with 3 daily commercial flights.
- As of 12/15/03 there were 41 commercial and zero commuter flights.

#### **Definitions:**

**Total Passenger Traffic** – Total number of airline passengers both enplaned (departing) and deplaned (arriving).

**Enplaned Passengers** – Departing passengers.

**Aircraft Operations** – Aircraft takeoff, landing, or transition through the airspace controlled by the FAA's Long Beach air traffic control tower.

**Air Carrier** – A scheduled carrier, certificated under FAA Regulations (FAR) Part 121 or 135, max. takeoff weight of over 75,000 lbs.(passengers or cargo).

**Air Taxi** – Aircraft that provide public transportation of persons and/or property on-demand.

**General Aviation** – Aviation activity other than scheduled air carriers flights, flights by industrial operators or by charter and flights by public aircraft.

**Air Cargo** – Cargo carried by aircraft, both inbound and outbound.